

REMARKS

In response to the above-noted Office Action, Applicant has amended Claims 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9 and 10 responsive to the rejection of Claims 1-15 under 35 USC 112, second paragraph. In particular, Applicant has amended the claims responsive to the specific grounds for rejection noted by the Examiner in the Action.

Claims 1-12 are rejected under 35 USC 103 as being unpatentable over Cornelia et al. in view of Person et al. in view of Meyer.

In response to this rejection, Applicant notes that Meyer was published October 20, 2002. Although the priority date of the present application was a later date, namely December 24, 2002, the inventors completed a document describing the invention, a copy of which was sent by the inventors to their employer, the assignee of the present invention on October 10, 2002. Applicant submits that this document establishes prior invention, including reduction to practice prior to the October 20, 2002 publication date of Meyer. Additionally, the document was forward by the inventors employer, the assignee, to a law firm in Korea on October 15, 2002 to prepare a Korean patent application. The Korean patent application is the application from which the present invention claims priority. Support for the foregoing is contained in the Declaration of Inventor Young-Gook HA submitted herewith.

Also submitted herewith are verified English translations of the document which was sent to the assignee of the present invention on October 10, 2002, corresponding to Exhibit 1 to the Declaration of Young-Gook HA, and an English translation of the Korean priority application which was filed December 24, 2002.

Based upon the foregoing submissions, Applicant submits that it has been demonstrated that the invention was conceived and reduced to practice prior to October 20, 2002, which is the publication date of Meyer. Since the rejection of the

claims relies upon the teachings of Meyer, since Meyer is not prior art, Applicant submits that the rejection under 35 USC 103 cannot be maintained.

In view of the foregoing, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection under 35 USC 103 is requested.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge those fees to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666. If a telephone interview would expedite the prosecution of this Application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (310) 207-3800.

Respectfully submitted,
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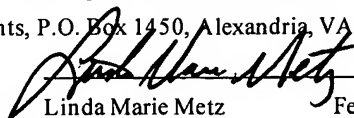
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